





# NO SECRET REPORT WAS MADE NN STENSLAND CASE

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 24.—In the gossip attending the failure of the Milwaukee Avenue state bank there is one foundationless story with no less than nine lives. It is a tale to the effect that there is in the possession of the state auditor an "inside report" on the affairs of the institution which has been suppressed from the public and which would throw much additional light on the Stensland defalcation.

The story has its foundation in the fact that the newspaper correspondents at Springfield have failed to get from the report explanations of many of the transactions in the wrecked institution and more detailed information regarding the losses. It has been assumed all along that Inspector Jones' report would clear up everything and that all the affairs of the bank would be made plain when it was given publicly.

As a matter of fact, the report, except as to detail, gives no information which has not been made public and the auditor and his banking department officials are as much in the dark regarding the actual condition as anyone. This is for the reason that until each bit of paper and each account in the bank is investigated separately there will be no means of ascertaining just how far the frauds were carried.

A list of amounts for which Hering says Stensland is obligated totals \$849,212.77. The list found in Stensland's private safety box, supposedly referring to fraudulent or manipulated paper, shows a total of \$692,300. The questionable notes found in the tin box foot up \$506,450. These items, however, do not cover all the losses which have been sustained.

There are 100 pages of typewritten matter in the Jones report and almost all of them are lists of accounts and securities and the like. Scattered through them are hundreds of items concerning the accuracy of which it will be impossible to determine without seeing the individual concerned, unless, indeed, Stensland should appear and point out the details of his rascality.

There is a large amount of past-due paper listed in the report. The one-name paper amounts to \$476,986.74, and there is nothing to indicate as yet what it will yield. The two-name paper figures up \$56,010.12. That secured by collateral is \$13,147.57; but in several instances the collateral was not found by the examiner. Some of this may turn up later, but the suppo-

sition is that in most instances Stensland got away with this security. In the list indorsed "Collateral not found" are the following items: William D. Tilden, \$7,500; H. E. Bullock, \$5,000, and Henry D. Williams \$250.

The one-name demand paper amounts to \$320,231.50, the one-name time paper to \$559,230.09; two-name demand paper, \$1,000; two-name time paper, \$304,083.01. The collateral demand paper totals \$163,293.73, but a large amount of the collateral is worthless. An instance is a loan of \$10,000 to Paul O. Stensland, secured by bonds of the Milwaukee Avenue Co-operative store. An \$8,000 piece of paper given by M. A. La Buy was secured by thirty shares of the bank's stock. The collateral was not found for the following: Fred Boysen, \$2,687.48; Jacob J. Kern, \$10,000; Fred Stead, \$500; Louis W. Hering, \$675.

The total of the collateral time paper is \$270,513. The following items in the list are indorsed "Collateral not found": H. E. Bullock, \$10,000; Jas. E. Pepper, \$3,000; H. E. Bullock, \$5,000; Broder H. Broderson, \$1,500; Frank Ring, \$200; A. Bower & Co., \$5,000; Edward I. Williams, \$1,200; E. H. Taylor, Jr., & Son, \$2,400.

The real estate loans total \$1,275,945.10. Their value is even more problematical than that of the other paper. The following mortgages are accompanied by recorded release deeds, also by extension agreements of dates subsequent to those of the releases, and the examiner refers to the mortgages as a questionable asset; Hugh L. Mason, \$500; Waldemar A. Boedeker, \$600; Christian W. Lemmon, (3), \$2,600; Hugh L. Mason, (2), \$2,700.

The incomplete loans scheduled amount to \$51,050, on which \$19,715.98 has been paid out, leaving a balance of \$31,334.02 on the individual ledger as a questionable liability. The installment mortgages, amounting to \$104,672.40, make a long list. They are reported as in a "fairly healthy state."

The unsecured overdrafts show twelve accounts, which amount to \$13,368.38. The biggest of these are the Steel Ball company, \$7,815.97; P. O. Stensland & Co., \$2,080.63, and the rebate account of Moses & Co., \$2,497.98.

The bonds amount to \$350,918.13; gold, \$76,317.50; currency, \$80,673; silver, \$11,692.90; pennies, \$2,834.01; cash items, \$75,877.75. The cash items are unusually numerous and nothing of this amount will be realized.

## LA FOLLETTE SAYS HE IS A REPUBLICAN ALL THE TIME

NEW LISBON, Wis., Aug. 24.—Senator La Follette was everywhere cordially and respectfully received in his tour of Jackson and Juneau counties yesterday, speaking at Alma Center and New Lisbon this afternoon and at Elroy tonight. The senator addressed upwards of 2,000 people.

Alma Center, a thriving little village of about 500, with a rich and well settled countryside tributary to it, is a stalwart stronghold, and almost to a man it was said the ninety or too voters in the town were in favor of the candidacy of Governor Davidson. But when enator La Follette arrived early in the morning there was a good crowd at the station, and later in the morning the town hall was crowded to hear the senator give his reasons for supporting the candidacy of Speaker Lenroot. The population is largely native American with a good leaven of sturdy Germans.

The senator spoke for nearly two hours, the people following him with an interest that bespoke an earnest desire to learn. When at the end Senator La Follette solemnly urged the voters to go into the booth at the primaries and, regardless of sentiment, vote for the man best qualified, there was hearty applause.

**Holiday at New Lisbon**  
New Lisbon had declared a half holiday to enable every one to hear Senator La Follette, and though there was the counter-attraction of a ball game the opera house was jammed to the doors when the senator arrived. He was introduced by M. Peterson, a well known merchant of New Lisbon, and the following occupied seats on the stage: C. D. Curtis, J. T. Pin-

ton, W. S. Sargent and W. B. Stubbart of New Lisbon; Dr. G. H. Parkham of Necedah and Judge Bunnell of Mauston.

The senator was greeted with friendliness and even enthusiasm throughout the meeting. Speaking of the opposition he had encountered from the stalwarts the senator said that the asme men and newspapers will be found arrayed in solid ranks against Speaker Lenroot's candidacy. In this connection the senator told of the debauchment of the delegates at the 1898 convention and of the betrayal of the 1900 convention reform platform by the legislature.

**Would Stick to Party**  
"Many of my friends who knew that my nomination in 1898 had been prevented by corrupt means advised me to run as an independent," he said. "But I said 'no.' I was in this fight to stay and if anybody was going to get out it would be the other side. I told them that I would make my fight as a republican in the republican party until the day I died."

Referring to the prevalence of corruption all over the country the senator said that the word graft had been borrowed from the jargon of the underworld and incorporated into the language, so common has venality in public office become.

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JANESVILLE, Wis., Aug. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. Fontana of Milwaukee and their recently recovered 5-year-old daughter are the guests of her sister in Janesville. Their family, which had been broken for the last five months, is reunited. Mrs. Fontana was taken ill and entered a hospital in the Cream City. She put her child in the care of a Mrs. Porter and paid \$2 a week. While Mrs. Fontana was in a critical state as the result of an operation Mr. Fontana allowed her to take the child to Green county, where she went to visit her daughter. The elder Mrs. Porter then went to the northern part of the state, leaving the child. When she did not return to Milwaukee Mr. and Mrs. Fontana went in search of their lost baby and finally located her. The new caretaker had become so attached to the child that she refused at first to give her up, but, with the assistance of the Green county sheriff, mother and child were reunited.

**7 DAYS IN JAIL  
FOR SEEKING HUG**

TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 24.—Dr. Charles W. Wilson of Montreal, vice president of the Canadian Orthopedic association, a member of the British



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Medical association, was sent to jail yesterday for seven days for assaulting Miss Severance of New York in the corridor of a downtown hotel on Monday.

Dr. Wilson was intoxicated on Monday evening. Seeing Miss Severance in the corridor he approached her from behind and endeavored to hug and kiss her. In an ensuing struggle both fell to the floor. Miss Severance's father knocked Dr. Wilson down. The young woman was rendered hysterical.

Dr. Wilson spent last night in the police station, as no one appeared to give bond for him.

Dr. Wilson pleaded today to be allowed to go home, but the magistrate said his appearance and condition indicated that he should be committed to jail to sober up.

Dr. W. Powell, disease of women

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A large number of La Crosse people today are attending the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Woldenhauer of Rose Valley, Minn. The aged pair are among the oldest residents of the vicinity in which they live.

**HAS TROUBLE WITH  
NEW AUTO SERVICE**

The automobile which started on regular trips between Onalaska and La Crosse last week is out of order and not running. A new auto has been sent for by the company to take its place.

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PEORIA, Ill., Aug. 24.—Robert S. Waddell, president of the Buckeye Powder company, announced yesterday that the United States government was preparing to begin prosecution against the Dupont Powder company for being an illegal corporation and conducting a monopoly of the powder business of the country. The assistant attorney general has been in Peoria for three weeks with Mr. Waddell getting information, and Mr. Waddell has also been in Washington, New York, and Philadelphia in conference with the attorney general, who says that prosecution will be begun in the fall. The action is a result of the fight against the Dupont people begun last winter by Mr. Waddell, who charged that the government was being forced to pay an exorbitant price for smokeless powder.

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## HOUSTON FARMER RETURNS DRUNK AND SHOTS SELF

### Ole Olson Drove Wife from the House in His Rage, then Shoots Himself with a Rifle

Ole Olson, residing about eight miles west of Houston, committed suicide by shooting late Monday evening, says the Houston Signal.

Ole had been in Houston on Monday and before starting for home laid in a good supply of firewater. He arrived at his home, the John Maloney farm, quite late in the evening. His wife, noticing his condition, and also knowing his quarrelsome habits when under the influence of intoxicants, took her oldest child, leaving the baby and hurried to a neighbor. A little later this neighbor returned to take the baby away, but Olson warned him not to come into the house, enforcing his warning with a rifle. The neighbor left, and had not gone far when a shot was heard which the neighbor thought was fired in the air to frighten him.

Some time later Mrs. Olson returned for her child passing near her husband who was lying in the doorway

and as she thought fast asleep in his drunken stupor. She carried the child out of the house and again passed her husband but did not know that the shot fired some time before was aimed with suicidal intent and her husband's body was now lying cold in death at her feet.

The father of young Olson who stayed at his son's and who also had been in Houston Monday, came home late that night. On the way into the house he noticed his son lying in the doorway, but concluded he was asleep and left him there. When Olson, Sr., arose the next morning he found that his son still laid where he did the night before. In trying to arouse him he found that his son was dead, a rifleball having been fired through his forehead.

Olson was a man about 22 years of age, industrious, and when not under the influence of liquor a kind husband and father. He leaves a wife and two children.

consumption of strong drinks and practically stop the light ones that contain little alcohol.

The curious part of the whole campaign is that Senator Tillman is not opposed for re-election and that he has voluntarily taken the chances of offending the prohibitionists by his course. Many of them, however, swear by him, regardless of his denunciations.

## MRS. VANDERBILT UNDER KNIFE

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—In the hope of removing the cause of a recent serious attack of illness an operation was performed upon Mrs. Reginald C. Vanderbilt yesterday at her country home at Sandy Point, Newport. The physicians announced later that it was entirely successful, adding that it was not a serious one, though the effects might not wholly be overcome for a month. Mrs. Vanderbilt has not been in good health for some time, and a year ago she underwent an operation, which, however, failed to bring permanent relief.

## LIVE CAT SENT THROUGH MAILS

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 24.—A small black kitten wrapped in a box and sent through the mails addressed to a resident of Pullman caused alarm in the station at Cottage Grove avenue and Fortieth street yesterday when the mail package suddenly began to move. The employees at first thought they had discovered an infernal machine.

The sender evidently had forgotten to prepay the postage and the contents of the parcel made itself known after it had lain for several hours on the desk of the postage-duty clerk.

He rewrapped the parcel, after treating the diminutive traveler to a dish of cream, and, weighing the kitten up as merchandise, placed a postage-duty stamp on the parcel and forwarded it.

## WHIM OF BABY SAVES LIFE

NORFOLK, Va., Aug. 24.—A baby's whim that led it to dash from its mother's hand a powder that the mother was about to give to the child saved the latter's life yesterday. Mrs. Frank Eberle had sent to a druggist for medicine for her 4-month-old infant. When the medicine arrived the mother opened one of the powders and started to pour it on the tongue of the baby. The child was waving its arms, and before any of the powder touched its tongue it knocked the paper from the mother's hand. Mrs. Eberle called for another powder, and was in the act of placing it in the baby's mouth when she heard the servant crying at the top of her voice: "Mrs. Eberle, don't give the baby that medicine."

The maid repeated the warning as she hurried upstairs. She informed Mrs. Eberle the druggist had telephoned that a mistake had been made in the prescription and a dangerous poison had been sent to her.

## KILLED AND MAIMED

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 24.—One man was killed and another was maimed for life under railroad wheels at Cudahy yesterday. Moritz Zausch, aged 73 years, was crossing the tracks of the Northwestern road at Cudahy early yesterday afternoon when he was struck by a switch engine. His right leg was cut off and the left leg was badly crushed.

The aged man was immediately taken aboard the switch engine and fast time was made to the Northwestern depot in Milwaukee. At the depot the man was placed in an ambulance. On the way to the Milwaukee hospital he succumbed to his injuries and the coroner was notified. The body was taken to the morgue last evening.

John Morris, an employee of the Cudahy Packing company, was working in the railroad yards at the suburb when a freight car which was being pushed on a sidetrack, knocked him down. The man leg was cut off under the wheels of the car. He was taken to the Milwaukee hospital for treatment. The injured man has a family at Cudahy.

## BEJEWELLED SHOP-LIFTER WON'T TELL NAME

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 24.—For a second time "Kate Morris," the woman who was arrested a week ago in a State street department store, charged with shoplifting, stood before Justice Caverly in the Harrison street police court yesterday and refused persistently to reveal her identity or to give any explanation of the action which led to her arrest.

Finally, in despair of securing from the woman a satisfactory basis for settling the case, Justice Caverly declared the case continued, allowed the prisoner to sign her own bond, and directed one of the court attendants to watch her closely until the next hearing.

"I think she is insane," he said afterward. "If she is I am not going to have her locked up as a common shop-lifter."

"Now, 'Miss Morris,' if you don't tell us your real name, why did you take these things?" asked Justice Caverly.

"It was necessary," replied the woman. "That is all I can say."

"Don't you know what we might do with you?"

"Yes, I suppose I might suffer whatever penalty you want to inflict, but it was necessary. God ordained that I should be in prison, you know."

"Well, I am not yet satisfied," said the judge. "I am going to continue the case until Friday, and in the meantime, 'Miss Morris,' I am going to let you sign your own bond."

She promised to appear on Friday.

## ICEMAN IS CHASED IN AN AUTO

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 24.—Joseph Grein, city inspector of weights and measures, borrowed one of the municipal automobiles belonging to the board of local improvements yesterday to go in search of a score of ice-men and peddlers. In a few hours four arrests were made and the results were so gratifying that Mr. Grein believes he should have an auto for his department to capture the short-weight dealers, and will ask the council finance committee to authorize the purchase of one.

About a year ago Mr. Grein obtained a horse and buggy for his work, but recently he has found even this method of journeying through the city too slow. The following were arrested yesterday: Patrick Kelley, driver for the Zuttermeister Ice company, for selling forty pounds for fifty pounds of ice at 4637 Calumet avenue; William Anderson, driver for the Galway Ice company, two cases, one for selling thirty-six pounds for fifty pounds of ice and the other for selling forty-two pounds of ice for fifty pounds of ice at 5052 Washington Park court.

## TICKETS FOR BRYAN FEST

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—The tickets to the reception to William J. Bryan in Madison Square Garden Aug. 30 as allotted to the various state delegations were issued by the reception committee yesterday. These tickets are for reserved seats, and number about 2,500. Tammany hall will receive 7,500 tickets of admission to the garden, but without seats.

President Mellen of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad will offer Mr. Bryan the use of his private car for the trip to New Haven for the reception there Aug. 31. At the luncheon to be given Mr. Bryan in that city Lieut. Gov. Woodruff will represent the state of Connecticut as Governor Roberts will be unable to be present.

Mr. Bryan will review a parade expected to aggregate 10,000 members of democratic marching clubs at Jersey City the night of Sept. 1. He will be received by a reception committee of 100 and will be entertained at the Carteret club. After the review Mr. Bryan will deliver speeches in two halls.

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N. B.—FALL SUITS WILL BE HERE ABOUT SEPTEMBER 1st.

## Texas Navy Once a Power

FORT WORTH, Tex., Aug. 24.—In the daily press mention of the recent Burnett-Green nuptials in this state it was stated that the bride, Miss Nellie Moore Green, was a grandniece of Commodore Edwin Warde Moore of the Texas navy. Since now, as a state, Texas is prohibited from owning a navy, it is interesting to know that during the time of her independence this state possessed a fleet.

The Texas navy was established in 1835 by Provisional Governor Henry Smith. In its infancy it consisted of three armed vessels, the schooners Brutus, Invincible and Independence. Defensive as the operations of this meager fleet must have been, its chief mission was to prevent supplies from reaching the Mexican army. Incidentally the captured cargo and booty of Mexican ships were valuable provisions for the support of the little Texas army.

At the time Commodore Moore was in command the Texas navy had been enlarged to six vessels, comprising the flagship Austin, the Zavala, the schooners San Antonio, and San Bernard and the brig Dolphin. By agreement between President Lamar and Yucatan, which was in revolt against Mexico in 1840, the Texas fleet of six ships became allies of the latter province and Yucatan was to pay all the expenses of operation.

Under Commodore Moore the fleet did valuable service for the revolting government and after two years retired, entering the mouth of the Mississippi. There the fleet remained for a considerable period. A difficulty between President Houston and Commodore Moore arose over the latter's non-compliance with the president's orders for the return of the fleet to Galveston harbor, Commodore Moore claiming in defense of his action that he had privately invested heavily toward the repair, support and maintenance of the ships.

Meantime, however, the Texas congress passed a secret order for the sale of the fleet and shortly thereafter upon admission into the union the Texas navy became a thing of the past, yet memorable as a factor in the history of the republic.

## FORCES PROBE OFFICE TRUST

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—"There is evidence of criminality," declared Judge Rosalsky yesterday to the foreman of the grand jury after the latter had announced that the investigation

to discover whether there is a conspiracy to increase the price of ice in this city was finished and the jury had no report to make. Judge Rosalsky immediately called the foreman and one other member of the jury to the bench and gave them a mass of evidence given in civil suits against the American Ice company, and it was reported, threatened to keep the jury in session for several weeks in order to obtain positive action on the ice question.

## TRIED TO POISON GEN. TREPOFF

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 24.—A story is in circulation here that an attempt has been made to poison General Trepoft, commandant of the imperial palace, whose illness has just been announced. The general's cook and three other servants have been arrested, it is said.

At a meeting of 142 delegates, representing all the Russian railways, just concluded in Finland, it was resolved that a general strike will be feasible at a near date and to issue instructions to prepare for it.

According to private advices the Twenty-fourth Ural (Cossack) regiment has mutinied at Samacand, Asiatic Russia, and arrested its officers. The commander of the garrison has demanded the immediate surrender of the mutineers, the artillery has been called out, and the city is in a state of panic.

On account of the threatening spirit exhibited by the constituents of Onipko, a peasant member of the late parliament who was arrested after the Cronstad mutiny charged with inciting revolt, an offense the penalty of which is death, and because of the fear of outbursts in the province of Stavropol should be condemned by the forthcoming court martial, the city and district of Stavropol and two other districts of the province were today declared to be in a state of extraordinary security and the rest of the province in a state of reinforced security.

To the Voters of La Crosse County: Being a candidate for nomination for sheriff on the Republican ticket, I respectfully ask your support at the primaries Sept. 4, promising you all that in the event of my nomination and election I will devote my entire energy and ability to make my administration a successful one. I stand for the enforcement of our laws, the suppression of crime and the protection of our homes.

Cordially yours,  
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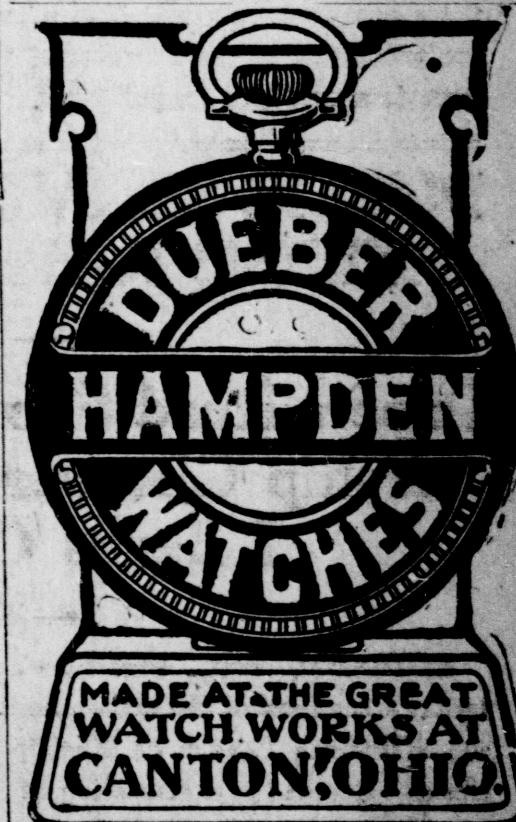
## Workman Gets \$60,000

SOUTH HAVEN, Mich., Aug. 24.—Ella Pinchin, who has just inherited \$60,000 from the estate of a wealthy relative in England, will lay down the broom with which he has for three years earned his living in the ranks of the city street sweepers. Mr. Pinchin, who is 75 years old and has always been a hard worker, asking no odds on account of age, was at one time possessed of considerable property, but lost it all ten years ago, and went steadily to work with his hands to support himself.

## WILL PROBE WESTERN RAILROADS, TOO

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 24.—Attorney Marchand, representing the interstate commerce commission, was in conference with Charles Chamberlain, secretary of the National Petroleum society.

Marchand says the commission is likely to resume work here soon and investigate charges against the roads in the central west for alleged discriminating.



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## NEXT WEEK BIG GALESVILLE FAIR WILL BE ATTRACTION

Next week is the Galesville fair. The big show will be on for three days and thousands of people will be in Galesville it is estimated. The arrangements are all completed. The program is made up and there is an unusual amount of good things in store for the public.

The first day will be devoted to entries and general arrangements. The ground space has sold rapidly and the street will be full. Horsemen are arriving and exhibitors from abroad have engaged space in every quarter of the ground.

Wednesday, the second day, will find everything in readiness for the show. A feature of the morning program will be a ball game between Blair and Galesville for a purse of \$100. The teams are rivals for the championship of Trempealeau county. They have met six times this year and each team has three victories to its credit. This feature of Wednesday

will alone be worth the price of admission; but there are other attractions. There will be a balloon ascension to the clouds and two fast races. The three minute trot and pace and the 2:20 class will be speedy enough to interest all lovers of good horse racing.

The sideshows on the grounds will be attractions in themselves. The famous Black Tent company will be there with a big tent and the performance is said to be wonderful. There are a lot of other amusement features too varied to describe, and of course the merry-go-round will be on hand to entertain the children.

Thursday, the last day, has a full program laid out. Melrose and North Bend, two strong Jackson county ball teams, will occupy the diamond. They also are rivals and will go after the large purse and the honors with a vengeance. The afternoon program includes a balloon ascension and two races, the 2:40 class and the free for all.

## PROHIBITION POLITICS IS BREEDER OF HYPOCRITS

(Special Tribune Dispatch.)

COLUMBIA, S. C., Aug. 24.—Senator Tillman has concluded a campaign of the most violent denunciation of prohibition known from the lips of a public man in many years. In these days of political cowardice, when the average legislator condemns prohibition in one breath and in another votes for something like it in framing laws, because he is afraid of prohibition organizers, Senator Tillman's campaign has been a remarkable one.

Prohibition candidates for governor in democratic primaries of the state in past years have polled more than one-third of the votes, yet in spite of this Senator Tillman has in nearly every county declared prohibition a "monstrous humbug." In one speech a few days ago he said: "I am here to point out why it is a humbug. Prohibition has bred in South Carolina the worst breed of hypocrites that God ever let run over one state and ruin it."

Senator Tillman then proceeded to declare that in the counties of the state where liquor was not legally sold (about one-third of the total), drunkenness has greatly increased and "blind tigers" were to be found in all directions. He asserted that the people were sending their money into other states for whisky instead of keeping it at home, and pointed out that the effect of such as this was to immensely increase the consumption of the strong drinks and greatly cut down the mild ones like beer, which, because of its bulk, cannot be handled with the ease of whisky.

Many of Senator Tillman's followers in the state say that the farmers have become alarmed over the increase of drunkenness and vice among the negroes in the prohibition counties. This is due to the fact that negroes obtain all the strong drinks they want, much of it vile and adulterated. In the past the negroes were able to get beer and the lighter drinks and this had the effect of promoting temperance. In the counties where these drinks are to be had without trouble the farmers report a better state of affairs with their negro farm hands.

Senator Tillman has condemned more strongly than any other feature of prohibition that which causes evasion and disregard of law. He sees that one bad effect is to increase the

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### THE SUMMARY

He is the logical candidate.  
He is honest.  
He was the original railroad reformer.  
His nomination will prevent La Follette dominating the administration of affairs in this state.

Above are the reasons given by Mr. Gilman for supporting Governor Davidson for the republican gubernatorial nomination. They are good reasons, such as sincere supporters of the governor could have been expected to offer. They will have some influence upon the voting at the primaries. They are the sort of reasons it was expected the Davidson men would be able to advance to annihilate the claims of Senator La Follette that Mr. Lenroot is a more able man than is Mr. Davidson.

But notwithstanding the strength of the arguments and the sufficiency of the reasons offered for the support of Governor Davidson by Mr. Gilman, and regardless of the substantiability of the proof offered that Lenroot is not more capable than is Governor Davidson, there will be some persons who will still believe that Mr. Lenroot is better qualified for the office of governor of this state.

The Tribune does not feel called upon to advise republican voters as to whom they should vote for as gubernatorial nominee. Everybody appreciates that the job is big enough for the very best man who can be secured. That Governor Davidson is an honest and consistent reformer of high character is not questioned. Voters should decide whether he or Lenroot is the better man. And every man should vote for the man who he thinks will best serve the interests of the people of this state, if elected. There is an honest division of opinion as to this matter, and it is one of the advantages of our government that the majority is pretty sure to control.

The statement that by supporting his own choice of a candidate from the stump Senator La Follette has "weakened himself," is a stalwart thought that is "offspring of the wish." The senator is entitled to credit for having defended a position which he believed to be correct in the face of the strength marshaled against him that made defeat more than possible. Every man should do that—stand upon his convictions regardless of consequences or bandwagons.

Will K. Davis, Milton, Wis., has inaugurated the only English poultry journal in Wisconsin. He has named it the "Poultry Standard." The journal will no doubt be appreciated by fanciers in Wisconsin of whom there are thousands and it is a publication which has long been needed for the promotion of the interests of Wisconsin poultry culture. The initial issue is a credit to its publisher.

## PUBLIC SERVICE CORPORATIONS RAPPED BY MAYORS

### Papers Read Show Municipal Ownership Cheaper and Better--John I. Beggs Called Insolent

ASHLAND, Wis., Aug. 24.—Yesterday's sessions of the convention of the Wisconsin League of Municipalities was devoted to a discussion of the municipal ownership of public utilities and the debate proved to be a very heated one. The fight for private ownership was led by F. C. Simmons of the Milwaukee Electric Railway & Light company and Mayor Doyle of Fond du Lac.

Very strong papers were read favorable to municipal ownership by Alderman Powers of Wausau, E. B. Smith of Madison and L. A. Case, manager of the Duluth (Minn.) waterworks. The discussion on this side was carried on by Aldermen Henry Smith, F. J. Stiglauer and T. T. Melms of Milwaukee, Mayor Stoltz of Manitowish, Mayor Williams of Ashland and Mayor Bolens of Port Washington.

John W. Gannaway of Milwaukee read a paper advocating rigid control of public service corporations and demanded the enactments of plans compelling publicity of accounts of such companies; the fixing of their valuation by a state commission and the fixing of remunerative rates by councils.

In his paper, Mr. Gannaway attacked John I. Beggs, president of the Milwaukee street railway, saying that he was insolent, arrogant and absolutely indifferent of reasonable public demands or requests.

The convention is the best yet held by the league and the delegates yesterday showed unmistakably that city officials of Wisconsin are favorable to municipal ownership.

Last evening Senator Frear of Hudson delivered a strong address on legislation pertaining to municipal utilities.

### JUST LIFE



Davidson is pointed out as the logical candidate; so is every other candidate, by his friends.

Stensland, who has been caught for the fortieth time, is still enjoying his stolen million.

Perhaps Foxy Grandpa wishes Salzer would.

Nothing like hay fever to make the old man miserable.

The labor leaders are now busy blackmailing the weather man for Labor day concessions.

"There will be no compromise," shouts Bowie, to his compromised friend Voliva.

"Jimminy crickets," shouted the man who heard Gilman, as he tore from the hall with waving arms.

Lenroot, it is maintained is "also a Scandinavian," but he happens to be a Swede instead of a Norwegian.

At last there seems to be a chance for a good democrat in Wisconsin as well as at Washington.

It is to be noted that "from London" comes the word, that "though Roosevelt will not allow the use of his name, he may be forced to accept the nomination."

It's a long pull from Dutch creek, with a boatload of four bass.

The Municipal league convention at Ashland develops the fact that municipal ownership is the thing where councils are strong enough to have it. La Crosse is second in the state with its municipal water plant.

And now Tom Lawson says Harri-man stole his many millions made in the Union Pacific stock jugglery.

Hank Rogers, Jawn Rockefeller and the bunch seem to have been relegated to the "has been" corner since the opening of the political campaigns.

### A Regular Gossip

Village Gossip (to sister gossip)—I must tell you of the awful scandal in the village, but only on condition that you promise not to breathe a word of it to any one else.

Sister Gossip—I promise faithfully. (Story is then related.)

First Gossip (meeting the other an hour later)—Well, what have people to say about the news I told you?—Fliengende Blatter.

A Prairie du Chien publisher attended church to hear a new minister. The sermon was quite good, but it was the singing that drew his attention. He says: "We enjoyed the singing, and stood up with the brothers and sisters while they warbled the good old hymn entitled:

"Shall we know each other there?" "While the singing was going on, we failed to see how they should 'know each other there' when they seemingly do not know each other here."

—W. V. K.

### The End of the World

of troubles that robbed E. H. Wolfe, of Bear Grove, Ia., of all usefulness, came when he began taking Electric Bitters. He writes: "Two years ago Kidney trouble caused me great suffering, which I would never have survived had I not taken Electric Bitters. They also cured me of General Debility."

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### LETTER TO THE VOTERS

I am prepared to assume the duties of district attorney just as soon as the proper formalities are completed. You are essential factors in carrying out these formalities. It is quite necessary to have the votes in order to secure the republican nomination. Be sure to turn out to the primaries Sept. 24.

JAMES THOMPSON.

## FISH AND GAME IS PLENTIFUL THIS SEASON

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 24.—Due to the careful and persistent labors of Wisconsin game wardens, a steady increase in all varieties of game is recorded by State Warden Jonas Swenholt. Deer are said to be plentiful in Florence, Forest and the southern part of Sawyer county. Game fish and birds are also said to be numerous.

It is expected that many hunters will avail themselves of the opportunity. Three deer licenses at \$25 each, and eleven small game licenses at \$10 have been taken out at the office of the state game warden.

Thus far 351 prosecutions have resulted as the work of the game wardens throughout the state, compared with 260 for the whole of last year's hunting season. The open seasons for small game begins Sept. 1.

## Monroe Doctrine Opposed

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica, Aug. 24.—At a preliminary meeting of the American club yesterday the views and objects of that organization were formulated. It is declared to be the purpose of the club "to work for the union of Latin America and to be prepared to oppose the United States in its work of annihilation of Latin American commercial independence."

The Monroe doctrine, in President Roosevelt's point of view, is declared to be a menace to all Latin American countries. The program adopted declares that the association is not formed against the United States, but in opposition to the alleged purpose of that country. The motto of the club, which it proposes to conduct a propaganda, is: "Latin America for the world and the world for humanity."

## Aged Sculptor Marries Again

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—J. Q. A. Ward, dean of American sculptors, was showered yesterday with congratulations on his recent marriage to Mrs. R. M. Ostrander Smith. The noted sculptor has just passed the seventy-sixth milestone in life's journey and has been married twice before. Announcement was also made by Mr. Ward that he would soon retire from the practice of his profession and devote his remaining years to peace and quietness. He was born in Urbana, O.

## Girl Suicides in a Wineroom

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 24.—Seated in a wineroom in a saloon at West Hammond, with two young men looking on, Miss Ada McNeil, 19 years old, committed suicide Tuesday night by swallowing carbolic acid. Her companions fled after they had learned that the vial drank from contained poison and have not been arrested.

Through friends of Miss McNeil the police of West Hammond learned her identity. Physicians were immediately summoned when Miss McNeil fell to the floor, but she died in a few minutes.

The police so far have been unable to learn where Miss McNeil lived or what caused her to take her life.

The wineroom adjoins a concert hall where nearly 100 men and women were drinking. Miss McNeil was seen sitting at the table with two men, young and well dressed. One of them arose and left the room. As he walked through the door Miss McNeil screamed and fell to the floor. Her other companion fled.

At an inquest on the body of Bertha Sykes, 19 years old, 804 North Irving avenue, a coroner's jury decided yesterday that the girl had committed suicide by taking poison. According to the police the girl was despondent on account of illness and because her stepmother had scolded her. She left

home Monday and went to the home of Mrs. Anna Wallace, 13 Gladys avenue, a negress with whom she had worked in Michigan. She swallowed the poison in the presence of Mrs. Wallace, who summoned Dr. W. F. Marcusson, who attended the girl. Her father was sent for and the girl was removed to her home, where she died.

The first information given to the coroner who notified the police, was that Miss Sykes had been taken to her home in an ambulance in a dying condition at midnight. She was placed in her home by attendants of the ambulance, who left without making any explanation, the coroner was told. A physician found traces of arsenical poisoning. Since Monday the young woman had been at the home of Mrs. Wallace.

## Crushed Under Car Wheels

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 24.—William N. Dunn, 45 years old, a switchman for the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, was killed yesterday morning when he fell beneath the wheels of a freight train on the Pennsylvania railroad tracks at Fifty-fifth street and Stewart avenue. Dunn lived at 5521 Princeton avenue, a little more than a block from where he was killed. The body was taken to Kenney's undertaking rooms at 5438 Halstead street.

The body of an unidentified man about 65 years old, apparently a laborer, was found yesterday near the tracks of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway near Franklin Park. It is believed that he was struck by a train. Nothing was found to help the authorities in identifying him. The man was taken to undertaking rooms in Franklin Park.

Mrs. R. Hanson, 49 years old, was struck by a switch engine Tuesday while attempting to cross the Illinois Central railway tracks at Fortieth street and suffered injuries which may cause her death. She was taken to the Provident hospital.

Joseph Garkuska, 26 years old, of Sixteenth street and Center avenue, a car repairer employed by the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad, was killed yesterday afternoon at Hawthorne, Ill., when an engine backed down on him. The body was taken to the county morgue.

## DAVIDSON TALKS IN GREAT HEAT

PLATTEVILLE, Wis., Aug. 24.—Governor Davidson reached here last night and addressed a large audience after a triumphant tour of Lafayette county. He spoke at Darlington, Shullsburg, Cuba City and Platteville. Everywhere the people stop their work to hear the governor.

At Darlington, almost a deserted village on account of heavy farm work and a big fair up at Mineral Point, more than 100 voters, besides women and children, sat in an opera house stifling hot for an hour while the governor spoke.

The introduction was by Senator H. C. Martin. "In the senate I sat under Governor Davidson as presiding officer for two long and most important sessions. His decisions were always fair and impartial. We all loved and admired him. He was always true to the cause of the people, and whenever he had his deciding vote to cast he was always on the right side. He stood every test of character and of faithfulness to the cause to which he has devoted himself for the best part of his life. There is no boss in Wisconsin any more. The people are free. This question of candidates is not up to any one man alone, but up to the republican party."

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## HAS A FORTUNE IN ELKS' TEETH

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 24.—Most of the members of the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks are contented with a good specimen of the teeth of the animal after which their order is named, and wear the charm with pride, but E. R. Pelz, manufacturers' agent at San Francisco and well known Elk, is not content with his collection of 12,094 pairs of elk teeth, and is adding to it every day. He exhibited the entire collection, whose value is about \$125,000, during the Elks' convention.

"I began collecting elk teeth about nine years ago," said Mr. Pelz, "and have made this collection and the work of obtaining data and pictures for a book on the North American Indian fit in together."

"The teeth have been obtained from the Indians of the West, and some of them are valuable from their unusual marking. Elk teeth were buried with the Indian warriors in the early days before the white man came to this country, and the dye of the blanket in which the brave was wrapped, after long ages, has transferred red to the elk teeth. Sometimes the teeth were used to decorate a jacket or dress, and at other times were used as a necklace or bracelet. These teeth were taken from the graves of the present-day Indians, and I have been able to secure many of them."

"The Indians are doing a thriving trade in artificial elk teeth, which they carve out of bone. They hold all elk teeth at a higher price than jewelers do, and work off the artificial teeth for the natural. They seldom part with a tooth taken from an elk they have killed, as they think they will not go to the happy hunting grounds if they do. Most of my collection has been taken from old graves or secured from warriors who got them from members of the tribe."

## ELEPHANT HUNT IN OLD DOMINION

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 24.—Three elephants which have been doing "stunts" at Luna park, a pleasure resort on the Virginia side of the Potomac, a short distance from Washington, escaped from their corral yesterday and they have been terrorizing farmers in Alexandria county, Va.

During a wind storm the corral was blown down and the frightened elephants broke loose and started for the wilds of Alexandria county. All day bands of armed men have been engaged in a real elephant hunt through the swamps and forests across the river.

Late today one fugitive was captured and chained to a tree, but the other two are still at large.

## KILLED BY PITCHED BASEBALL

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Aug. 24.—Caspar Musselman, aged 19, was struck over the heart by a pitched ball and killed in yesterday's game between the Catasqua and Philadelphia clubs. Musselman started to run after being hit and fell unconscious six feet from first base. He was a student at Lehigh university.

### Galveston's Sea Wall

makes life now as safe in that city as on the higher uplands. E. W. Goodloe, who resides on Dutton St., in Waco, Tex., needs no sea wall for safety. He writes: "I have used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption the past five years and it keeps me well and safe. Before that time I had a cough which for years had been growing worse. Now it's gone." Cures chronic Coughs, La Grippe, Croup, Whooping Cough and prevents Pneumonia. Pleasant to take. Every bottle guaranteed at O. T. Erhart's drug store. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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## REPORT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE BATAVIAN NATIONAL BANK

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**Resources.**  
Loans and discounts ..... \$2,529,179.18  
Overdrafts ..... 677.03  
U. S. bonds and premium ..... 404,000.00  
Other bonds ..... 109,511.89  
Banking house and fixtures ..... 75,000.00  
5 per cent redemption fund ..... 20,000.00  
Cash and due from banks ..... 588,631.05  
\$3,726,999.15

## THE NATIONAL BANK OF LA CROSSE.

June 18th, 1906.  
**Resources.**  
Loans and discounts ..... \$2,773,023.19  
Overdrafts ..... 1,668.03  
U. S. bonds to secure circulation ..... 250,000.00  
Other bonds ..... 204,800.00  
Banking house ..... 50,000.00  
Other real estate ..... 100.00  
**Cash Resources.**  
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits ..... \$50,000.00  
With banks ..... 520,997.73  
With treasurer U. S. ..... 12,500.00  
In vaults ..... 274,596.06  
\$858,093.79

**Liabilities.**  
Capital ..... \$ 250,000.00  
Surplus ..... 200,000.00  
Undivided profits ..... 29,778.19  
Circulation ..... 250,000.00  
Deposits ..... 3,407,906.82  
Total ..... \$4,137,685.01  
United States Depository.

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE STATE BANK OF LA CROSSE.

La Crosse, Wis., June 18, 1906.  
**Resources.**  
Loans and discounts ..... \$673,883.77  
Overdrafts ..... 171.53  
U. S. and other bonds and securities ..... 77,437.65  
Banking house & fixtures ..... 12,000.00  
Due from banks and vaults ..... 280,574.38  
Total ..... \$1,044,067.33  
**Liabilities.**  
Capital stock ..... \$ 50,000.00  
Surplus ..... 50,000.00  
Undivided profits ..... 14,825.40  
Deposits ..... 929,241.93  
Total ..... \$1,044,067.33

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## WING DAM WORK PROGRESS- ING RAPIDLY ON MISSISSIPPI

### Captain Thompson and Large Crew of Government Workmen Busy in Vicinity of La Moille

Capt. W. A. Thompson, who is in charge of the river improvement work on this section of the river now has quite a crew of men at work in the vicinity of La Moille. A large wing dam is being built out from the Wisconsin side of the river a short distance above where the Quincy went down. The quarter boats, on which the men employed by the government are given sleeping accommodations and fed, are located on an island a short distance below the new dam and the men row to and from their work and meals. The stage of water in the river is now down so low that dam construction is rendered comparatively easy. At the higher stages which prevailed up to the present month it was impossible to do work of this kind, the water being so high that the entire construction work would have to be done under water.

The brush employed in this dam construction is obtained at convenient points along the river. The stone is obtained entirely from the government quarries at La Moille. These quarries are a busy place at the present time and popular evidence of the bustle there is given generally three times a day in the blasting carried on. This is usually done about 7 o'clock in the morning, at the noon hour and after 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The loud explosions can be distinctly heard in Winona. The campers on Trempealeau bay have become familiar with the methods employed in blasting, being near the scene of operation. When blasting is about to begin the steam whistle at the quarry sounds five short, sharp toots, which is a signal for all persons near the quarry to get out of the way of danger. About five minutes later the

blasting begins. Before each blast the whistle is blown once and immediately a blast is touched off, sending the stones flying up in the air, the most of them being concealed, however, in the thick smoke made by the powder used in the blast, smokeless powder not being employed at the quarry. Sometimes as many as five blasts are sent off in quick succession before two whistles are sounded, which is an indication that blasting for the time is ended. The laborers then come back to the quarry from their places of concealment and quarrying operations are resumed, fresh drilling being started for new blasts and the stone already reduced to small enough size for dam construction being sent down to a barge in the river in steel baskets along the aerial railway, which consists of two stout steel cables suspended from the quarry to the river. The quarrying at this point has been carried on for some years, so that the top of the bluff has been materially lowered, more stone probably having been taken from this quarry than from any other along this section of the river, not even excepting Sugar Loaf.

Capt. Thompson's commodious and comfortable houseboat, provided for him as a home by the government, is located now and has been for some time past at the mouth of the Trempealeau river convenient to the dam construction work and where it also commands a good view of operations at the stone quarry. On account of the late commencement of operations and the fact that there is not a large amount of river improvement work will be done in Capt. Thompson's district this season.

### PACKET TO HOKAH

A packet line between Hokah and La Crosse via the Root and Mississippi rivers. The first thing of this kind that has ever been tried is to be started.

A gasoline boat that will be able to carry two tons of freight and many passengers will be used. The boat will make regular trips between here and Hokah. Hoffman & Ender will finance the plan.

## SUPERVISORS GET NO PAY FOR SUNDAYS SAYS FRUIT

### Circuit Judge Fruit Renders Important Decision in Monroe County Litigation

Judge J. J. Fruit of La Crosse, hasmembers did not include these days rendered a decision in favor of the plaintiff in the Will N. Wells vs. I. A. Krotzman case at Sparta, which was tried to ascertain if members of the county board of supervisors were entitled to Sunday pay or not. For the past few years Monroe county supervisors have drawn pay for Sundays, claiming that being at the county seat under expense they were entitled to their per diem, although there was no session on Sundays. At the last meeting there was much controversy on the question. Eleven

in their bills, twenty-five members did. Wells, a supervisor sued Krotzman, another supervisor to obtain a decision. As soon as suit was commenced five members returned to the county treasurer \$6 for the two Sundays included in their bills. Two hundred and fifty dollars will be saved the county for the last session and as the law is in all probability retroactive \$1,500 would have to be returned as the statute of limitations would make decisions effective for the past six years.

## WELL KNOWN WON- AN DIES

Julia, wife of J. T. Gladson, died Saturday at her home on West Prairie, aged 37 years. She had been a patient suffered for nearly a year and she knew at all times that the end was near.

The funeral was held Tuesday from the home, Revs. Murphy and Russell officiating and Director Halderson in charge.

Deceased was well known to La Crosse people. As Julia Evans she will be remembered as a student at Gale college at Galesville when the school was in charge of the Presbyterians. She leaves a husband and a little daughter, an aged mother and five brothers.

Those who attended the funeral from other points were Rev. E. A. Evans, Russell, Minn.; Walter and Sheldon Evans, La Crescent; Mr. Leinen, La Crosse; Mrs. Sheldon, Mound Prairie; Minn.; and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wachter, Melrose.

## BOY INNOCENT OF THE CHARGE

Hallie Lord, the boy who was charged with having snatched a pocketbook from the hand of Miss Harriet Bates, a domestic employed by E. R. Burke, was yesterday afternoon before Judge Brindley and because of lack of evidence and the different stories told by Miss Bates, Lord was discharged.

The story bore every evidence of having been made up for the purpose of causing the boy inconvenience, and in the opinion of the court officials there was no ground whatever for the charges, as the boy's father had witnesses to prove where his boy had been during the time the robbery was said to have occurred, and it was shown he had not been near the spot where the robbery was alleged to have been committed. Young Lord is only 16 years of age, and bears an exemplary reputation. He is the son of George F. Lord, reinstator for the New York Life Insurance company.

## NEW DIRECTORS NAMED BY MEXICAN PLANTATION CO.

At a meeting of the Mexican Plantation company last night, H. E. Horne, Peter Bott and G. F. Sexauer were elected directors.

The financial report was read by Secretary Horne. Dr. A. U. Jorris, H. A. Worthington and H. O. Klien were appointed to audit the report.

A notice from I. O. Rosenberg of Milwaukee, that he would sell \$16,000 worth of bonds for salary which he claims are unpaid. The auction is

### AN EVOLUTION

in business. We have been changing our jewelry business from a retail store to a wholesale one, and are giving our customers the advantage of saving the retailers' profits. Today we received our Fall and Christmas stock of gold set rings. We have hundreds of pretty patterns to choose from and the prices are much lower than ever before. Call and let us prove what we say is so.

IRVINE'S, 429 MAIN ST.  
La Crosse's Greatest Jewelry Store.

scheduled to be held in his office in Milwaukee next Monday.

The directorate was authorized to name a new trustee, the resignation of the State bank of La Crosse having been received and read.

## HAVE NOT YET CAPTURED THIEF

The police have found no clue to the robber who more than two weeks ago entered the dental office of Dr. J. Schleiter on Fifth and Main street while the doctor had stepped out for a minute during the afternoon and robbed him of \$60 in cash and gold filling, making the total about \$150.

## BURLINGTON GETS 130 NEW ENGINES

One of the largest orders that was ever given by a railroad is now being delivered to the Burlington by a large eastern firm according to advices received here from Chicago.

It is stated that the order calls for 130 engines, thirty of which are to be used in passenger service while the remainder are for freight use.

It is not known how many will be used on the La Crosse division, but it is understood that a request for a number of new engines has already been made.

## IMPROVE ONALASKA ROADWAY

The Onalaska city authorities began work yesterday on the highway leading from Onalaska to the Gear farm with a crew of men and ten teams covering the road with several inches of clay. This is a much needed improvement on this road where there is so much travel, especially during the summer and fall months, with produce. Two hundred dollars have been appropriated for the purpose.

## C. C. HAMILTON NAMED

The Knights of Pythias of Wisconsin closed their convention yesterday with the election and installation of the following officers at Milwaukee:

Grand vice chancellor—Dr. Orrin Thompson, Milwaukee.  
Grand prelate—E. C. Gottry, Reedsburg.

Grand keeper of records and seals—U. S. Burns, Sheboygan.  
Grand master of exchequer—Theodore Zillmer, Milwaukee.

Grand master-at-arms—A. C. Conway, Antigo.  
Grand inner guard—C. C. Hamilton, La Crosse.

Grand outer guard—H. E. Wamhold, Appleton.  
Trustees—L. W. Halsey, Milwaukee, three years; C. H. Libby, Fond du Lac, one year.

Representative to supreme lodge—P. H. Crahen, Beloit.  
The next annual convention will be held at Wausau, Wis.

### CASE ADJOURNED

The case of Frank Sloan, charged with entering a car in the north side freight yards and stealing six bottles of beer was adjourned for a week.

W. B. Guinzius of Green Bay is expected to reach the city today.

## CITY NEWS

**WIRING EXPERTS, 227 MAIN.**  
Miss Emma Styles is visiting friends in Sparta.

Fred Haum of West Salem is visiting friends here.

A. S. Schneider was in Winona yesterday on business.

Mrs. A. J. Rowley of Viroqua, is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Culbertson have gone to West Salem for a visit.

Wanted First class dining room girls at the Cafe.

Miss Lena Kreise is the guest of her brother in Whalan.

Mrs. W. F. Gage has returned from Minneapolis where she has been visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Della Guenther has returned from Viroqua where she has been visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kerr have returned from Preston where they have been visiting with their parents.

Miss Mollie Tennison is spending a few days in Hokah.

J. E. McConnell has returned from a business trip to West Salem.

Miss Pearl Willey is spending a few days with friends in Caledonia.

Write to F. G. Davis, Macon, N. C., for particulars—cheapest and best lands in United States, elegant water, climate the best. Enough timber on every farm to pay for it. Cheap rates first and third Tuesdays.

J. W. Snow Jr. has accepted a position as traveling salesman for Barrett & Barrett Co. of St. Paul. Mr. Snow was formerly in the insurance business in this city.

Mrs. Ori J. Sorenson has returned from Seattle, Wash., where she was called by the illness of her mother, who was stricken with paralysis.

W. S. Ryan of Winona is in the city on business.

N. E. Lung of Houston was a La Crosse visitor yesterday.

W. H. Webber of Stoddard is visiting friends and relatives here.

W. E. Bress of Coon Valley is transacting business here.

P. L. Higgel of Mabel is in the city on business.

I. H. Allen of Harmony is in the city today.

**WIRING, THE HEAVY LIGHT MAN.**

W. N. Collins of Preston is registered at the Grand.

The St. Paul went down this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

W. S. Scullin of Austin was a La Crosse visitor yesterday.

H. C. Griffin of Milo is in the city on business.

M. A. Johnson of Des Moines is transacting business here today.

Frank Dumke of Hokah is in the city on business.

"Clothes whiter than ever before" is the universal verdict of users of Beach's Peosta Soap, besides this the labor of washing is lessened. All boiling water may be avoided. See directions on soap wrappers.

The tobacco crop near Viroqua was nearly destroyed during the hail storm that occurred last Thursday.

Henry Anderson was the heaviest loser, his crop being totally destroyed.

The camp meeting of the Methodists of the La Crosse district was opened at Galesville yesterday.

The meeting will close Sunday, Sept. 2.

In response to a request from County Clerk Rawlinson, District Attorney Otto Bossard has written for an opinion from Attorney General Sturdevant as to whether Labor day is to be registration day under the primary election law.

The business block at 107-109 South Third street has been sold to Whitman B. Potter of Houston county for \$10,000. It was sold by J. E. McConnell as executor of the last will and testament of William E. Potter of La Crescent.

E. W. Laughan of Burlington is visiting friends here.

T. N. Barber of Viroqua is transacting business here.

T. A. Jones of Stoddard is in the city visiting friends.

L. S. Spicer of Caledonia is stopping at the American.

George Briggs, editor of the Chicago News, is visiting A. H. McArthur, 329 South Sixth street.

Miss Grace McArthur is visiting her brother, A. H. McArthur.

For sheriff—William Duncan—Sept. 4, 1906.

George Frye, a farmer residing south of Hokah, lost about 100 bush-

els of oats in a fire caused by lightning.

R. S. Goldsmith of Houston is in the city on business.

Anton Loken of St. Olaf is visiting friends here.

Dr. Will Powell, discases of women.

A. Miller of Winona is a La Crosse visitor today.

R. S. Cummings of Sparta is transacting business here.

A. J. Phillips of Mabel is visiting friends in the city.

E. A. Raymond and G. E. Schultz of Oshkosh are La Crosse visitors today.

**Electric fans while they last, \$6.50.**

**Electric Supply & Construction company, 227 Main street.**

A. W. Kenneth of Milo is transacting business in the city today.

W. H. Gilbert of West Salem is visiting friends and relatives here.

Dr. George Poweii, consulting physician and surgeon.

The shooting of woodcock, partridges, plover, snipe, pheasants and grouse is legalized after Sept. 1.

**Electric fans \$6. A. O. Colby.**

H. B. Gasse of Milo, was a La Crosse visitor yesterday.

Andrew Rinn of Rolling Stone, is visiting friends here.

H. Henderson of Viroqua, is transacting business in town.

E. S. Header of Viroqua, is in the city visiting friends and relatives.

W. H. Halverson of Lanesboro, is registered at the American.

Leonard Jackson of Hokah, is visiting friends here.

W. M. Ncomb of Austin, was a La Crosse visitor yesterday.

G. C. Allen of Decorah, is transacting business in the city.

E. M. While of Whalen, is visiting friends here.

S. J. Skouton of Canton, is in town visiting relatives.

The Clyde went down river last night with a large raft of logs.

Emil Nupson of Canton, is in the city visiting friends.

L. Raymond of Oshkosh, was a La Crosse visitor yesterday.

P. L. Lynce of Dubuque, is transacting business here.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Forseth, a nine-pound girl. The mother



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## FIRST DISPLAY OF NEW FALL HATS

Not only **THE GREATEST VARIETY** of smart styles in La Crosse, but the most desirable from the standpoint of quality.

Every conservative and extreme shape in fall derbys, fedoras and novelty crush styles—correct ideas for men and youth's of all ages. It's an exhibit well worth viewing, whether you are prepared to buy or not. We've selected our assortments from the best makers in the country including—

## STETSON'S SMART STYLES

as well as the new innovations of other celebrated makers.

**Prices \$1.50 to \$5.00**

Everybody cordially invited.

**CONTINENTAL.**

H. N. BOEHM, Manager.

and baby are doing nicely at the Lutheran hospital.

W. Warren of Faribault is in the city on business.

P. L. Smith of Bangor, was a La Crosse visitor yesterday.

W. Rome of Baraboo, is visiting friends and relatives here.

J. B. Taylor returned last night from a business trip in Milwaukee.

John H. McMillan of Minneapolis is in the city visiting friends.

W. W. Cargill and D. M. Kendall are on their way to Van Couver's Island.

Jesse and Edgar Brenner and Harry Newburg have returned from the trip down river. They went down as far as Quincy. "Just below Brownsville we caught a raft," said Jesse Brenner, "and from then on we had plain sailing. We slept, cooked and stayed on the raft until we reached Dubuque. We layed over at Dubuque from Wednesday morning until Thursday noon. Our plans as we first made them were to return after we reached Dubuque, but we decided to go to Quincy. We started Thursday noon and about 3 o'clock in the afternoon we had to seek shelter in an old log shanty about five miles below Dubuque. We started out the next morning and while trolling as we were floating down stream I caught twenty-two pound "lunge." We reached Quincy Monday morning early and caught the St. Paul up, arriving here yesterday morning."

**CHANDELIER PARLOR, 227 Main**

**SUPPER FOR VETERAN**

W. B. Hemphill, 830 Market street was entertained by his friends at supper at Pettibone park yesterday.

being his sixty-fifth birthday. Mr. Hemphill is a veteran of the civil war and has seen service in some of the most important engagements.

**Dr. J. F. Thompson**

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New Phone 192-3 Old Phone 73-8  
La Crosse, Wisconsin

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LIST OF CANDIDATES

STATE OF WISCONSIN, ss.  
County of La Crosse.

I, C. H. Rawlinson, county clerk of said County of La Crosse, do hereby certify that the following is a list of names of all persons for whom nomination papers have been filed in the office of the secretary of state, as certified to me by the secretary of state, and of all persons for whom nomination papers have been filed in my office, and who are entitled to be voted for at the primary election to be held in the several towns, villages, wards and election precincts of said county, on the 4th day of September, 1906.

	DEMOCRATIC.		PROHIBITION.		REPUBLICAN.		SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC.	
	Name.	Address.	Name.	Address.	Name.	Address.	Name.	Address.
Governor .....	John A. Aylward.....	414 Pinckney street, Madison, Wis.	Ephraim L. Eaton.....	428 Lake street, Madison, Wis.	James O. Davidson.....	Soldiers Grove, Wis.	Winfield R. Gaylord.....	917 Fourteenth street, Milwaukee, Wis.
	Ernst Merton.....	302 East avenue, Waukesha, Wis.			Irvine L. Lenroot.....	708 W. Third street, Superior, Wis.		
Lieutenant Governor.....	Michael F. Blenski.....	559 Grove street, Milwaukee, Wis.	August F. Fehlandt.....	West Salem, Wis.	William D. Connor.....	Third street, Marshfield, Wis.	William Kaufmann.....	768 Pearl street, Kenosha, Wis.
	John O'Meara.....	632 Van Buren street, Milwaukee, Wis.			John Strange .....	305 Algoma street, Oshkosh, Wis.		
Secretary of State.....	Clarence J. Noel.....	309 Jefferson street, Marinette, Wis.	John E. Clayton.....	250 Eighteenth street, Milwaukee, Wis.	James A. Frear.....	Hudson, Wis.	Charles V. Schmidt.....	849 Seventeenth street, Milwaukee, Wis.
					William H. Froehlich.....	Jackson, Wis.		
State Treasurer.....	Andrew Jenson.....	Rollin street, Edgerton, Wis.	David W. Emerson.....	Emerson P. O., Wis.	Walter L. Houser.....	Mondovi, Wis.	Joseph Ammann.....	Kiel, Wis.
					Andrew H. Dahl.....	Westby, Wis.		
					Julius Howland .....	Stanley, Wis.		
					Henry D. James.....	Douglas street, Dodgeville, Wis.		
					John J. Kempf.....	836 First street, Milwaukee, Wis.		
					John W. Thomas.....	R. F. D. No. 5, Chippewa Falls, Wis.		
Attorney General.....	Martin L. Lueck.....	Juneau avenue, Juneau, Wis.	Byron E. Van Keuren.....	119 E. New York avenue, Oshkosh, Wis.	Frank L. Gilbert.....	16 N. Broom street, Madison, Wis.	Richard Elsner .....	140 North avenue, Milwaukee, Wis.
					Wallace Ingalls.....	1618 College Avenue, Racine, Wis.		
					C. A. A. McGee.....	255 Ninth street, Milwaukee, Wis.		
Commissioner of Insur- ance .....	Henry J. Neuens.....	436 Park avenue, Sheboygan, Wis.	Lincoln Abraham.....	Bloomington, Wis.	George E. Beedle.....	Embarrass, Wis.	Herman W. Bistorius.....	516 Second avenue, Milwaukee, Wis.
					Thomas M. Purtell.....	1008 Spaight street, Madison, Wis.		
Representative in Con- gress (7th district) ..	Charles F. Hille.....	Black River Falls, Wis.			John J. Esch.....	117 S. Thirteenth street, La Crosse, Wis.		
Member Assembly, 1st District .....	Olav R. Skaar.....	515 S. 16th street, La Crosse, Wis.	Henry Goodsell.....	915 West avenue So., La Crosse, Wis.	John J. Durland.....	1616 George street, La Crosse, Wis.		
					Thomas H. Miller.....	1105 Caledonia street, La Crosse, Wis.		
Member Assembly, 2nd District .....	Elias Jones.....	Town of Bangor.	John A. Berg.....	Town of Holland.	Valentine S. Keppel.....	Town of Onalaska.		
County Clerk.....	Theodore Ritter.....	920 Berlin street, La Crosse, Wis.	George H. Jones.....	R. F. D. No. 1, Bangor, Wis.	William C. Peterman.....	1920 George street, La Crosse, Wis.		
					Charles H. Rawlinson.....	1113 S. Seventh street, La Crosse, Wis.		
County Treasurer.....	David Wood .....	Bangor, Wis.	Bert S. Steadwell.....	301 N. Ninth street, La Crosse, Wis.	William Weimar.....	1223 Green Bay street, La Crosse, Wis.		
Sheriff .....	Christopher J. Burns.....	720 S. Fourth street, La Crosse, Wis.	Garret Westerhouse.....	Town of Onalaska, Wis.	Eugene H. Derr.....	314 S. Sixth street, La Crosse, Wis.		
					William Duncan.....	113-115 Mill street, La Crosse, Wis.		
					George R. Hodge.....	302 West avenue N., La Crosse, Wis.		
					Martin Keizer.....	1813 George street, La Crosse, Wis.		
					Alverus A. Kennedy.....	Midway, Wis.		
					August Lehnhoff.....	526 N. Eleventh street, La Crosse, Wis.		
					Harry Palmer.....	323 S. Fifth street, La Crosse, Wis.		
					John Vollmar.....	1400 Pine street, La Crosse, Wis.		
County Coroner.....	Louis B. Omerberg.....	929 Johnson street, La Crosse, Wis.	A. E. Smith.....	City of Onalaska, Wis.	Edward Cronon.....	1013 State street, La Crosse, Wis.		
Clerk of the Circuit Court .....	William J. Fries.....	420 N. Ninth street, La Crosse, Wis.	Albin Weverstad.....	Town of Farmington, Wis.	Robert Robertson .....	136 S. Ninth street, La Crosse, Wis.		
					Russell D. Smith.....	Village of Bangor.		
					Byron H. Valentine.....	1351 Caledonia street, La Crosse, Wis.		
					George D. Wright.....	131 S. Ninth street, La Crosse, Wis.		
District Attorney.....	John F. Doherty.....	403 Madison court... La Crosse, Wis.			Otto Bosshard.....	504 Cass street, La Crosse, Wis.		
					James Thompson.....	421 S. Tenth street, La Crosse, Wis.		
Register of Deeds.....	Edward Scheufler.....	714 S. Fifth street, La Crosse, Wis.	Samuel A. Johnson.....	1021 Division street, La Crosse, Wis.	Frank H. Aiken.....	828 Main street, La Crosse, Wis.		
					James H. Gillilan.....	West Salem, Wis.		
Surveyor .....	Charles M. Jarvis.....	1728 Market street, La Crosse, Wis.	Herbert L. Niles.....	City of Onalaska, Wis.	John Streeter.....	1323 Berlin street, La Crosse, Wis.		
					George P. Bradish.....	717 Cass street, La Crosse, Wis.		

This said primary election will be held at the regular polling places in each precinct, and the polls will be open as follows: In the city of La Crosse from 6 o'clock in the morning until 7 o'clock in the evening, in the city of Onalaska and the several towns and villages from 9 o'clock in the morning until sundown.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at the court house in the city of La Crosse, Wisconsin, this 15th day of August, A. D. 1906.

C. H. RAWLINSON, County Clerk.

Lindsey Splits  
the Democrats

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 24.—When Judge Ben B. Lindsey's letter announcing his candidacy for governor was made public yesterday, two of the three principal factions of the democrats were furious. Senator Patterson, rebuking Lindsey, came out strong for Alvah Adams, who, unless he becomes governor, would get Patterson's seat, if the democrats control the legislature. Patterson hopes to elect Adams governor with a republican lieutenant governor, thus prevent-

ing Adams from resigning the governorship for a toga. The Speer democrats call Lindsey a traitor to his party. With the democrats split in three factions, the republicans predict a victory for Governor McDonald, who will be renominated. Neither Judge Lindsey nor Adams is acceptable to the Western Federation of Miners, who declare both to be apathetic concerning the release of Meyer and Haywood.

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Calls Answered at All Hours,  
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DIAMOND OFFICES  
WILL BE MOVED

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—To escape an annual income tax amounting to \$700,000, the De Beers Consolidated mines, limited, which controls the diamond market, is about to move its headquarters from London to a city outside of England, according to messages received today by importers of this city, who buy their rough stones from the English syndicate. Dealers say New York may be selected as headquarters for the distribution of the larger and finer qualities of stones, but Paris likely will be chosen as the center for the sale of uncut gems.

As nearly all wholesale dealers and even some retail dealers go to Europe at intervals to buy diamonds, the change to be made in headquarters is a movement of much importance to the jewelry trade. The decision of the house of lords in England was announced a few days ago, holding the De Beers concern must pay an income tax in that country as well as in Cape Colony. As a result the representatives of the company said it would move rather than submit to double taxation.

M'CALEB'S  
SIGNS  
Look Best and Wear Longest.

WANT LESS EXPEN-  
SIVE FUNERALS

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 24.—Fredrick Green, superintendent of a cemetery at Cleveland, O., today, in a paper read before the twentieth annual convention of the Association of American Cemetery Superintendents, recommended that, as a means toward stopping the exorbitant charges of undertakers for burial services, cemeteries install undertaking business in connection with the burying grounds. Mr. Green declared that many undertakers charge from three to five times too much profit on funerals, and said that the expense of burials would be

about one-fourth of what it now is if the plan of having a cemetery undertaking establishment were carried out.

WHITNEY OUT OF IT

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 24.—Henry M. Whitney has withdrawn from the race for the democratic nomination

for the governorship. The big financial interests who were promoting Whitney's candidacy to defeat the ambition of District Attorney John B. Moran have renewed their efforts to draw ex-Governor Douglas into the race. Mr. Douglas has not said whether he will be a candidate, but the friends of Mr. Moran declare he will continue in the race and will win.

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## THE TRIBUNE WANT COLUMN

### HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Girls to run sewing machines. Steady employment. La Crosse Clothing company, Second and State streets.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; three in family. Apply 217 South Fifteenth street.

WANTED—Ten girls; pleasant work; good wages. Apply Wisconsin Pearl Button company.

WANTED—Marker or girl to learn marking at Reliable Steam laundry. 117-119 North Sixth.

WANTED—Good cook and girl for second work. Mrs. T. A. Dyson, 219 South Ninth.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 109 South Fourteenth street.

WANTED—Girls at the La Crosse Knitting Works. Apply at the office at once.

WANTED—Girls at the Reliable Steam laundry, 117-119 North Sixth.

WANTED—Clerk, dining room girl and chambermaid at Hotel Law.

WANTED—A girl at Eagle hotel at once. 120 South Fifth street.

WANTED—Girls at Tisch Brothers company cigar box factory.

WANTED—First class dining room girls at the Cafe.

### HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Ten positions for every graduate. Top wages paid. Few weeks completes. Course includes tools and diplomas. Can nearly earn expenses if desired. Catalogue mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—Cornice makers at once at Badger Steel Roofing & Corrugating company, Seventh and La Crosse streets.

DID YOU KNOW that Maxie bought Paul Dolan's place. Well, he did.

WANTED—Boys from 16 years and up, at La Crosse Can company.

WANTED—First class cabinet maker. Vought-Berger company.

WANTED—Teamsters at Gateway City Transfer.

### FOR SALE

LOTS FOR SALE—We have a number of fine building lots, near good improvements, and lying near the prospective street car extensions, on Market and Main streets, which we will sell at very low prices, and easy terms. Drs. Powell & Powell.

FOR SALE—Stock of shoes and fixtures of L. Gilbertson, bankrupt. Inventory furnished. Must be sold on or before Sept. 1st. C. S. Van Auken, trustee, 328 Pearl street.

FARM for sale or rent—163 acres in good condition, seven miles from city. Call at August Road, 2355 Mormon Coulee road, city.

FOR SALE—Cadillac runabout for sale cheap. Call at Motor Car company.

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two modern dwellings, corner Seventh and Cass. City heat, newly decorated and painted, new cement work, very desirable in every way. Address 1419 Cass street, new phone 720-M.

FOR RENT—A fine eight-room house with all modern improvements between Main and King on Eleventh street. Inquire 137 South Eleventh street.

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern house, centrally located; gentlemen preferred. Apply 1122 Main street.

FOR RENT—Swell, roomy house, with bath, \$10 per month, in Horton's Park, 1042 Denton street.

FOR RENT—Eleven-room house suitable for two families. 823 South Sixth street.

### WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Vacant lot, good residence part of La Crosse. Must be bargain. Address V., this office.

### LOST

LOST—Sack of fishing tackle, tag No. 620. Address "P." Tribune.

### FINANCIAL

MONEY TO LOAN—Diamonds, watches, etc. Stevens, 510 Main street.

LOANS made salaried people on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. LA CROSSE MORTGAGE & LOAN CO., 822 Main Street, up stairs.

## MISS KENNEDY STILL MISSING DESPITE THE SEARCH

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 24.—Continued search for Mary Kennedy, 4555 Wallace avenue, has proved in vain. Miss Kennedy disappeared from home Monday, Aug. 13, and since then no trace of her has been found. She had been working for the Chicago Telephone company for more than a year, but about two months ago tendered her resignation, saying that she had a better position in prospect with the firm of Charles A. Stevens Brothers, in charge of their private switchboard. Later inquiry shows that she never worked for the latter firm.

Before her disappearance several letters arrived which her mother did not give to her. Two of the letters were from Prof. F. P. Ridge, who keeps a dancing academy at 127 La Salle street. Two postals were also confiscated by Mrs. Kennedy. Mrs. Kennedy refused to divulge the contents of the letters.

When Mr. Ridge was asked what he knew about Miss Kennedy he said that she had come to him more than three weeks ago and tried to take some dancing lessons from him. He refused to teach her without the consent of her parents, but she claimed that she was of age and that her parents were both dead. She took one lesson, but Prof. Ridge refused to give her any more without some proof of her statements.

Before she left, however, on some pretext she borrowed a book on dancing from him and the letters he wrote, he claims, asked her to return it to him. He said that he knew nothing more concerning the girl.

One of the postals read: "Call at my office tomorrow. Important business," and is signed "Joe Thompson." The address given was the Chicago Opera House building, but inquiry there failed to find anyone of that name.

The other letter was from a man who signed himself George Nelson. Miss Kennedy had been going with some man whom she called George, but as her mother would not allow her to receive company she was in the habit of meeting him clandestinely. He would wait outside of the place of her employment till she appeared and then they would go to supper together.

Often they would stay out until late at night and in response to her mother's questions Miss Kennedy would say that she had been working overtime. On the night of her disappearance she was seen to enter a buggy with a strange man.

The letter from Nelson was addressed on the outside to Miss Anna Kennedy, but on the inside he spoke of her as Rosa. In the letter he requested her to meet him at the Shanghai restaurant that evening. The letter was destroyed by the girl's mother and nothing was said to the daughter about it.

The police are working on supposition that she was abducted, but her mother thinks it more probable that she has eloped. The girl was the sole support of her widowed mother and strenuous efforts are being made to find her. She is a pretty girl of 17 years, dark haired, about 5 feet 6 inches in height and weighs 130 pounds.

## CHICAGO CHIEF OF POLICE WILL FILE CHARGES

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 24.—Chief of Police Collins will make public Saturday the charges on which he suspended Inspector P. J. Lavin. He will ask that the case be brought to trial one week from next Wednesday.

The chief has completed the preparation of the accusations and will present them to the mayor when he returns to Chicago Saturday morning. As soon as the mayor has digested them the chief expects to file charges with the civil service board. Only interference by Mayor Dunne can prevent the filing of the charges, the chief declares.

While Inspector Lavin is still unaware of the nature of the charges, he believes they will charge him with improper policing of the districts of which he has had charge. In preparation for such charges he is preparing a defense which will consist mainly of an attack on Chief Collins' record while in command of the same districts. Friends of Lavin state the statistics he has secured will show that the administration of the Harrison street and Chicago avenue divisions when Collins was attached to them as a lieutenant was far worse than at any time under the command of the suspended inspector.

So bad is the record of the chief during his days as a lieutenant, the Lavin people say, that they may see fit to file charges against him as a slap for his attack on the inspector. Whether such action will be taken Lavin's attorneys would not state.

"I don't know what the chief has for me," said Lavin. "But I do know that if he attempts to show that I did not perform my duty I will have records to prove that his administration of things should result in his dismissal even now. The fact that he is chief should not preclude the filing of charges against him. I did not know things were so bad during his time until I began an investigation."

Malice was charged yesterday by Justices John Richards and Timothy D. Hurley as being the cause of the attack by the Anti-crime league on them. Both men came forward with statements denying that they had been in league with Lieutenant Mulcahy in the Bowers or any other case.

Justice Richardson said the attorney for the league had treated him maliciously and unfairly by refusing to tell the public that, in spite of the fact that Bowers was not held to the criminal court in the Callaghan case, he was sent to the county jail on two other cases, being held in bonds of \$1,000 in each case. Both justices declared the evidence presented in their courts was not sufficient to hold Bowers in the Callaghan case.

"The attempt of the Anti-crime league to attack me for my action in the Bowers case arises entirely out of malice and ill feeling of some people

toward me," said Justice Hurley. "The stories told about the Bowers case have been purposely distorted and not all the facts were made known. That alone shows that there is malice behind these alleged charges against me."

"They say I didn't do anything in the Bowers case," said Justice Richardson. "Here are two mittimus on which Bowers was sent to the county jail after I had held him to the grand jury. There is malice and vindictiveness behind these attacks on me by the Anti-crime league. My record is clean and I am not afraid of anything those people may produce."

## CENTRAL GIRLS WILL STRIKE IF THEY MUST USE ALLEY

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 24.—Telephone girls employed at "central" in the new building adjoining the Title and Trust block—threatened to walk out in a body, 300 strong, yesterday, if the officials of the company refused to permit them to enter the operating room from a street entrance. For the last three days the girls have been forced to walk through the alley between Washington and Madison streets and from Clark to Dearborn to obtain entrance to the exchange office.

Two saloons face the alley at the Clark street entrance, and one saloon is passed on entering from the Dearborn street way. The alley is dirty and foul smelling and at nearly all times of the day is frequented by men from the saloons. The entrance to the building is nearly midway between Clark and Dearborn.

Three of the operators resigned yesterday morning because they were refused admittance through the Title and Trust building, the way used before the completion of the new quarters. Many of the girls reported to Manager Holden last night that they would quit work immediately if the order was not changed.

One of the girls stated that all the operators would present their demands in organized form this morning, and if the officials would not listen to their petition they would walk out together. She declared also that as they were leaving the building last night they were forced to witness a drunken woman struggling with two waiters from one of the saloons in the alley.

## A CLASS FOR CRIPPLES

GREEN BAY, Wis., Aug. 24.—A class for the benefit of Green Bay's crippled young men will be organized

in the local Y. M. C. A. this fall. A new physical director has been engaged and his abilities are said to run along the line of correcting deformities.

Notices will be sent to the young men in the city and surrounding country, that such a class has been formed and it is expected that a large number will avail themselves of the opportunity of being helped. The new director is an easterner well up in athletics and comes to this city highly recommended, having recently taken several firsts in an eastern competition of physical culturists.

It is by his suggestion that the new course will be established, and Fox river valley cities in general are expected to take up with the idea and establish similar classes.

## WATCHMAN SHOTS A GIRL

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 24.—Prompt intervention on the part of Policeman John Setterling and Sergeant Louis Kroll of the Rawson street station probably saved the life of Constantine Ritkowski, a watchman for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, at the hands of a mob of Poles, after he had accidentally wounded Helen Froczak, a shopgirl, aged 17, 573 Elston avenue, Tuesday night. The girl was wounded in the left leg by one of two bullets intended for several youths whom the watchman was pursuing after they were caught in the act of looting freight cars. She was taken to St. Elizabeth's hospital by the police. Her condition is said to be critical.

The shooting took place shortly after 5:30 o'clock. Watchman Ritkowski was pursuing thieves on Blackhawk street between Cherry and North Branch streets when he fired.

With threats and oaths the crowd surrounded the watchman, who had stopped to attend his victim. At the first demonstration of violence he deserted his post at the girl's side and fled. The mob pursued him, yelling, "Lynch him!" "Kill him!" Police man Setterling hastened to the spot, colliding with the fleeing watchman and knocking him to the ground. As Ritkowski arose the policeman seized him.

The crowd attempted to take the prisoner from the policeman, who drew his revolver and threatened to shoot the first person who attempted violence. Undismayed, some of the mob threw bricks and other missiles at the officer and his prisoner, and, fearing a riot, the policeman blew his whistle and summoned assistance. Sergeant Kroll, who was on the Elston avenue car, ran to the policeman's assistance and assisted in taking the watchman to the station.

## FORGERS ARRESTED

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—With the arrest Tuesday night of Thomas McCarthy, alias Tom Brown, who gave his name also as James T. Murray, and the arrest of Thomas J. Schaad this morning, detectives believe they have captured not only one of the cleverest bank forgers in the country in McCarthy, but have checked one of the boldest attempts in recent years to swindle banks by means of forgeries which McCarthy made through the co-operation of Schaad and a confederate named Frederick Muntwyler, who has not yet been arrested. It is known they drew five checks on the Union Trust company. Three, amounting to \$1,000 in all, went through and were cashed. One for \$1,200 and one for \$1,800 were detected.

Schaad is a son of a retired contractor and builder, Ferdinand Schaad of 106 East One Hundred and First street, and was used as a tool. He was bailed out by his father this morning. Muntwyler is a young man who has been bewildered by Schaad's father and who has done time in the Elmira reformatory. He got young Schaad into the trouble. Schaad has turned state's evidence.

The forgery has been in operation since June and so bold were McCarthy and Muntwyler that they opened an office at 45 Beaver street under the name of Schaad Brothers, and conducted their operations from there. Evidently they intended to carry on business extensively, increasing the size and amounts of the checks forged gradually.

### In Self Defense

Major Hamm, editor and manager of the Constitutionalist, Eminence, Ky., when he was fiercely attacked, four years ago, by Piles, bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, of which he says: "It cured me in ten days and no trouble since." Quickest healer of Burns, Sores, Cuts and Wounds, 25c at O. T. Erhart's drug store.

## MAN WITH PLAN TO MAKE REAL MONEY IS ARRESTED

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—A plot to finance a revolution in Venezuela and overturn President Castro by coining "real" Venezuelan silver dollars from dimes made in New York was discovered here by the arrest of Capt. George Boynton, former resident manager of the Orinoco corporation of Venezuela.

With Boynton were arrested Attorney Lewis M. Thompson, who is said to have found the money with which to buy the silver bullion, and Joseph and Sidney A. Keller, who made the dies.

The scheme is an old one in South America. A Venezuelan silver dollar, or bolivar, contains 40 cents' worth of silver bullion. Capt. Boynton's scheme was to have dies made in New York, buy \$10,000 worth of silver bullion, go to an out of the way village in the Delta of the Orinoco and coin the bullion into 20,000 bolivars.

A second purchase of \$40,000 worth of bullion was to be coined into 80,000 bolivars.

The bolivars would be as good as the genuine Venezuelan dollar. They would contain as much pure silver as the real Venezuelan coin. Any one accepting them would not be cheated of a cent. They would pay soldiers, buy guns and ammunition, and defray the costs of war.

Unfortunately for the success of Capt. Boynton's plan there is a law on the United States statute books which makes it a crime for any one in this country to counterfeit the coin

of another government. Capt. Boynton, it is said, has been for years the local and resident manager of the Orinoco concession, capitalized at \$5,000,000 and controlling practically the entire Orinoco delta. He came to New York in June last to finance and lay the preliminary plans for a revolution against President Castro.

Capt. Boynton met Lawyer Thompson, an old acquaintance, and interested him in the revolution. The captain said he wanted to find a man who would advance \$10,000 with which to buy the silver bullion. To such a man, the captain said, the sum of \$50,000 would be returned if the movement against Castro proved successful. Lawyer Thompson had difficulty in interesting men of means, and finally approached some men described as sporting men. One of these was an agent of Chief Flinn of the secret service.

Chief Boynton was arrested on his way to his friend's office in lower Broadway to meet Chief Flinn's agent. Under his arm was a package which contained two dies. The dies were of wonderful workmanship and a perfect intaglio of the well known bolivar head dollar of Venezuela.

Later in the day a warrant was sworn out against the two Kellers. They were arraigned before Commissioner Ridgeway and held in \$1,500 cash bail for having the counterfeit dies in their possession. They furnished the bail and were released.

## FAMOUS ACTRESS SUED FOR A DEBT

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—Mrs. Leslie Carter-Payne and Miss Norma Munro are no longer friends. Miss Munroe is the daughter of the late publisher, Norman Munro, and her wealth is estimated in seven figures. Dispossess proceedings were begun against Mrs. Payne by Henrietta E. Munro, Miss Munro's mother. This is in part the cause of the trouble.

The dispossess proceedings were instituted because Mrs. Carter-Payne was in arrears for rent to Mrs. Munro on her town apartments at 36 West Fifty-ninth street. The proceedings were begun in the city court, but they were withdrawn because Mrs. Carter-Payne and Mrs. Munro arrived at a compromise whereby Mrs. Carter-Payne paid three months' rent, which will allow her to retain her apartments to Sept. 1.

It appears that the differences between Miss Munro and her actress friend date back to the time when Mrs. Carter became Mrs. Payne.

Before her marriage she and Miss Munro were inseparable and were constantly out together automobiling. In fact, Miss Munro paid all expenses of the trip. When the marriage took place there was a change. Henry Gogart Clark, attorney for Mrs. Munro, made this explanation of the affair: "Mrs. Carter-Payne leased the apartments in which she lived from Mrs. Munro and Miss Munro had nothing to do with the dispossess proceedings. Mrs. Carter-Payne was in arrears for rent to the amount of \$1,375, but has paid three months' rent, so the suit has been dropped."

"There are a number of differences between the actress and Miss Munro of a social and financial nature which we hope to adjust and which Miss Munro is anxious to settle."

Mr. Clark was questioned about a report that Miss Munro owed the actress money, and he replied: "She does not owe her a single cent."

"Has Miss Munro ever loaned Mrs. Carter-Payne money?"

"Not to my knowledge."

It was rumored that there were other suits threatened against the actress, but Mr. Clark said this was not so, and that he hoped for an early adjustment of all the differences between the women.

In regard to a report that the actress is indebted to Miss Munro to the extent of \$10,000, Mr. Clark declined to say anything.

"The differences between Mrs. Munro and Mrs. Carter-Payne concerned only their business relationship," continued the attorney. "The house to which the actress resides belongs to the Munro estate."

Mr. Clark said further that so far as he knew Miss Munro never aided Mrs. Carter-Payne in her theatrical ventures, and that they had not seen each other in some time.

## NORTH SIDE PETER FISCHBACH PASSES AWAY

The death of Peter Fischbach of Middle Ridge occurred yesterday, death resulting from tuberculosis with which he had been ill about seven months. He was 21 years of age.

The funeral took place there this morning at 10 o'clock from the St. Peter's church and interment was made at that place.

Those who went to the funeral from the north side left last evening, and are as follows: B. Weber, John Weber, N. Anthony, Peter Fischbach and families, and Frank Mashek, 1304 outh Sixth street.

## FAREWELL SERMON SUNDAY

Rev. Charles W. Wentworth of the Caledonia Street Methodist Episcopal church will render his farewell sermon Sunday.

Rev. Wentworth tendered his resignation some time ago and will soon leave for the west as the health of his daughter demands it.

The congregation regrets much to see his leave.

## NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

Miss Frances Eraendel of Winona is a guest of her uncle Frank Schumacher, 1500 Charles street.

John Diamond of Kansas is the guest of his cousin, John Diamond of the North side.

On account of the rise in the water the fishing crew has stoped work indefinitely.

Charles Mosher has returned home from a two weeks' visit at Iron River, Duluth and northern Wisconsin.

Miss Ruth Kaizer has gone to Rushford for a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

The Sunday school class of the Caledonia Street Methodist Episcopal church will picnic at Myrick park tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Heller have returned to their home at 1615 Wood street after a visit of a month with relatives in New York.

Percy Boyle and John Roggensack will be down from Minneapolis this evening.

Cyrus L. Ingram is the guest of C. J. Crosby, his old schoolmate, at his home, 713 Avon street.

Mrs. John Streeter and son, have returned from Fargo, N. D., where they have been the guests of relatives for the past month.

Jack Davis of the 1500 block Avon street, is ill with typhoid fever. He has been at Savanna and came home from there.

## MISSOURI INUNDATED

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Aug. 24.—Towns for miles around are flooded by rains. The Burlington tracks are blocked and trains are held here.

### Notice

The attention of all Republicans is called to the provisions of the primary election law by which three committeemen are to be elected in each ward, village and town at the primary election on Sept. 4. At the bottom of the primary ballot will be found space in which the voter is to write the names of his choice for party committeemen.

The committee of three so chosen in each precinct are required to choose one of their number as a member of the county committee. There is some confusion in the law as it now stands, but the intention seems to be that the precinct committeeman who receives the most votes at the primary shall be chairman and should be chosen as member of the county committee.

In accordance with the provisions of the primary law, I hereby call meetings of the committees which will be so elected at the primary election, in the various wards, villages and towns of La Crosse county for the purpose of choosing a member of the county committee from each of such precincts, said committee meetings to be held at the respective polling places in the various wards, villages, and towns on Thursday evening, Sept. 6, 1906, at eight (8) o'clock.

JOHN E. McCONNEL.

Chairman of Republican County Committee.

## CITY NEWS

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schultz, 1023 Mississippi street, a nine-pound boy.

Attorney Roy E. Bigham left today for his home in Arcadia where he will spend a few days with his parents.

Mrs. H. B. McCain of Grand Rapids, Wis., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ennis, 627 State street.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.





## SCHOOL DAYS RETURN

And we commence to think about what the boys are to wear.  
We are giving a **SPECIAL SALE** on

### Children's and Boys' School Suits

It will pay you to bring the boys in and dress them up. You will be surprised to see how well you can make them look for a little money.

**SPECIAL SALE ON**

## Men's Trousers

Just Look in Our Show Windows.

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Of Berlin, Germany, the Expert Specialist and Surgeon Has visited La Crosse for the past fourteen years once a month, will again be in La Crosse, Monday, Sept. 10th, 1906, at Hotel La Crosse, from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M. and fourth Monday thereafter.

Consultation and Examination Free.



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**YOUNG MEN** If you are troubled with nervous debility, stupid-  
ness, or are otherwise afflicted for loss of energy, caused by youthful errors or excesses, you should consult this specialist at once. Don't delay until too late.

**MIDDLE-AGED AND OLD** There are thousands of you  
troubled with weak, aching  
backs and kidneys and other unmistakable  
signs of nervous debility. Many die of this diffi-  
culty, ignorant of the cause. The most obstinate  
cases of this character treated with unfailing  
success.

**ALL DISEASES** of delicate nature—in-  
flammations and kindred  
venereal—quickly cured without pain or incon-  
venience.

**CATARH** which poisons the breath,  
the way for Consumption, also Throat, Liver,  
Heart, Kidney, Bladder and all constitutional  
and internal troubles; also Rupture, Piles,  
Fistula, Dyspepsia, Diarrhea and all diseases  
of the stomach and bowels treated far in ad-  
vance of any institution in the country.

**BLOOD AND SKIN** Diseases, Scars, Bores,  
Pimples, Scrofula, Tumors, Tetters, Psoas and Blood  
Poison thoroughly eradicated, leaving the system  
in a strong, pure and beautiful state.

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## FOR SHERIFF

**WM. DUNCAN**

Republican Candidate

**PRIMARY ELECTION**

SEPT. 4th, 1906.

## WANT-AD WIFE IS SCORED AWAY BY CROWD

JANESVILLE, Wis., Aug. 24.—Such a crowd greeted Robert Miller's prospective bride, who promised to marry him as the result of a newspaper advertisement for a wife, that Miller has lost his bride and his job.

Miller, who had a place at a cotton mill here, told his friends that his fiancée was coming to town yesterday, and they all went to the railroad station to meet her. A good part of the population of Janesville was there. The young woman didn't like it, and fled, vowing she never would look at Miller again. The cotton mill people said they wouldn't employ a man who brought them so much notoriety indirectly, and now he is looking for another job.

Miller inserted the following advertisement a week ago in a Janesville paper:

**WANTED**—A wife, one who will appreciate a good husband, by man who is capable of supporting her. Address, Robert Miller, Janesville, Wis.

The answer arrived yesterday in the person of Miss Eliza Kent of Fort Atkinson who wrote Miller three days ago that the proposition suited her, and that she would come. Miss Kent sent her picture, and to make identification more positive said that she would wear two roses in her hair.

Miller was so elated over the good news that he failed to keep the affair a secret, and informed a score of his friends. By the time the depot was reached the platform was filled with a curious, hooting crowd.

Miss Kent alighted from the train and the crowd made a dash for her. She started on a run through the depot and down the main business street, with the crowd and several camera-finders in close pursuit.

Miller was the first to reach the frightened girl. He tried hard to explain the situation, but such a reception was too much for her, and she even refused to listen to his pleadings. She took her departure and went back to Fort Atkinson, determined that she would never answer another marriage advertisement.

**LADIES** If you are suffering from persistent Headache, Painful Menstruation, Uterine Displacements, Pains in Back, and feel as if it were impossible for you to endure your troubles and still be obliged to attend to your household and social obligations, give the doctor a call. He will cure you if you trust yourself to his care. A great many have taken treatment of this specialist, and he can refer you to those who have been cured by him.

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## LA CROSSE WINS THE SECOND EAU CLAIRE GAME

### FREEPORT LOSES ONE AND WINS ONE GAME

Teams' Standings		
	Won.	Lost. Pet.
La Crosse	61	33 .649
Freeport	58	34 .630
Oshkosh	45	48 .484
Green Bay	44	49 .473
Wausau	38	57 .400
Eau Claire	35	60 .368

**Results Yesterday**  
La Crosse, 6; Eau Claire, 2.  
Wausau, 2-5; Freeport, 3-3.  
Oshkosh, 11; Green Bay, 1.

**Games Today**  
Eau Claire at La Crosse.  
Freeport at Wausau.  
Oshkosh at Green Bay.

La Crosse won a slow game from Eau Claire, the second of the present series, yesterday.

Bubser should have had a shutout for the champs, but owing to needless errors the Eau Claire team managed to score.

Fiske for the Eau Claire team pitched a good game, but lacked support.

Today and tomorrow's games close the Eau Claire series.

**Score:**  
La Crosse—ABR H PO A E  
Vogt, ss ..... 4 1 0 2 5 0  
Bond, 3b ..... 4 1 2 2 1 1  
Metwytzyk, lf ..... 3 1 2 2 0 0  
Konetchy, 1b ..... 3 0 0 6 0 2  
Cahill, cf ..... 4 1 0 4 0 0  
Tucker, rf ..... 2 1 1 1 1 0  
Klock, 2b ..... 4 1 1 0 2 1  
Killian, c ..... 3 0 0 2 1 0  
Bubser, p ..... 4 0 1 0 0 0

**Totals** ..... 31 6 7 26 10 4

Eau Claire—ABR H PO A E  
Baker, 3b ..... 4 0 0 0 5 0  
Head, 2b ..... 4 1 1 1 1 1  
Jones, rf ..... 4 0 0 1 0 1  
McCauley, ss ..... 4 0 1 0 2 0  
Bailey, cf ..... 4 0 0 2 0 0  
Ramsey, 1b ..... 4 0 1 1 0 3  
Goldsmith, lf ..... 3 0 0 4 0 0  
Long, c ..... 2 1 1 4 0 1  
Karnell, c ..... 1 0 0 1 0 0  
Fiske, p ..... 3 0 1 0 1 0

**Totals** ..... 33 2 5 24 9 6

La Crosse ..... 12001020X-6  
Eau Claire ..... 001001000-2

**Summary**—Stolen bases, Medwytzyk, Cahill, Tucker, Bubser 2—Two-base hit, McCauley, Head—Sacrifice hits, Medwytzyk, Konetchy, Killian—Struck out, by Bubser 9, by Fiske 3—Bases on balls, off Fiske 2—Wild pitch, Bubser—Passed balls, Long 2—Time of game, 1:30—Umpire, Pickett—Attendance, 450.

**Oshkosh, 11; Green Bay, 1**  
OSHKOSH, Wis., Aug. 24.—Oshkosh landed hard on Charles yesterday and secured eleven runs in two innings. Green Bay was saved from a shutout by a wild pitch. **Score:**  
R. H. E.  
Oshkosh ..... 00000605\*—11 11 3  
Green Bay ..... 000000100—1 4 2

**Batteries**—Crangle and Moore; Charles and Hart.

**Freeport, 3-3; Wausau, 2-5**  
WAUSAU, Wis., Aug. 24.—Wausau won one and lost one here yesterday with Freeport. **Scores:**  
First game—R. H. E.  
Wausau ..... 101000000—2 8 3  
Freeport ..... 0000001101—2 6 0

**Batteries**—Miller and Troch; Scott and Erickson.

**Second game—R. H. E.**

**DISCUSS NEGRO TROUBLES**

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 24.—General Bell, chief of staff, called on the president today to discuss the Brownsville trouble before taking further action. He says he replaced the negro troops with whites, and sent the blacks to Fort Reno.

Gifford Pinchot talked to the president on forestry.

**BRYAN LOSES PHOTOS**

PARIS, Aug. 24.—A bundle of portraits of William Jennings Bryan have gone astray, and inquiries are being made for them at various embassies and hotels. These inquiries so far have been fruitless. Bryan had the photographs, which were large ones, taken while he was in London.

**TRIALS OF ANARCHISTS**

MOSCOW, Aug. 24.—The trial of three charged with conspiracy in the murder of Doukassoff has begun. One of the accused is the daughter of General Keller.

**YOUNG'S Owl Drug Store.**

**Young says**

We have no monopoly on good cigars. We are not monopolists; but we could not secure a better line of cigars than we have if our business existence depended upon it.

You cannot get a poor cigar out of our cigar case.

We have all the popular home brands of five and ten cent goods.

Higher priced ones also.

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Moderate Price

## Calumet Baking Powder

\$1.00.00 will be given for any substance injurious to health found in Calumet.

Wausau ..... 5000000000—5 6 0  
Freeport ..... 0003000000—3 4 1  
Batteries—Miller and Troch; Moriarity, Scopec, Scott and Erickson.

## SEEK TO MAKE A BIG REPUBLIC

SAN SALVADOR, Aug. 24.—The unionist party has been organized here for the purpose of uniting all Central American republics into one republic.

## ICE MAGNATES PLEAD NOT GUILTY AND AWAIT TRIAL

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 24.—W. F. Lyons and Harry Burke, ice magnates, were arraigned on charges of criminally operating in restraint of trade. They pleaded not guilty and were released on bail.

## THIEVES DYNAMITE SAFE AT LA PORTE AND ESCAPE

LA PORTE, Ind., Aug. 24.—Thieves this morning blew the safe of Adams' general store, ignited the place, causing a loss of \$16,000 by fire and escaped with considerable cash.

## DUMONT FLIES IN AIR WITH- OUT BALOON

PARIS, Aug. 24.—Santos-Dumont yesterday morning was able to raise himself and his flying machine over ground without a balloon and with no other motive force than a twenty-four-horse power motor, running independently, thus performing a feat that never previously was accomplished.  
Dumont took his place in his machine and set the motor in motion. The structure darted to the far end of the field, where it turned and came back.  
On the next rush every one present saw the machine travel forward supported only on air six inches above the ground.  
"I am more than satisfied," said M. Dumont. "I have accomplished more than I dared hope, and am now certain that if my motor had been running at its best I'd have been able to sustain a prolonged flight along the surface of the ground."

## DISCUSS NEGRO TROUBLES

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 24.—General Bell, chief of staff, called on the president today to discuss the Brownsville trouble before taking further action. He says he replaced the negro troops with whites, and sent the blacks to Fort Reno.  
Gifford Pinchot talked to the president on forestry.

## BRYAN LOSES PHOTOS

PARIS, Aug. 24.—A bundle of portraits of William Jennings Bryan have gone astray, and inquiries are being made for them at various embassies and hotels. These inquiries so far have been fruitless. Bryan had the photographs, which were large ones, taken while he was in London.

## TRIALS OF ANARCHISTS

MOSCOW, Aug. 24.—The trial of three charged with conspiracy in the murder of Doukassoff has begun. One of the accused is the daughter of General Keller.

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